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From: Petainen, Peter (MDOT)[PetainenP@michigan.gov]
Sent: Mon 2/14/2022 10:44:46 AM (UTC-05:00)
Subject: Re: Protest Update 2-14-22

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Good Morning Randy,

Very happy to see you open again. Well done on a difficult (that's an understatement) week.
I got off very lucky by comparison. Quiet up here. Open and no impact to traffic. 10-12 protesters only during the day – the weather and extreme low temperatures were effective deterrents. Police presence on the plaza 24/7 outnumbered protesters.

One vehicle attempted to block a city intersection on Saturday. Police gave fair warning and, per the Deputy Police Chief, a battering ram next to the window of the pickup convinced the protester of the wisdom to move along. Charges are pending.

I sincerely wish everyone a very quiet week.

Pete

From: Randy Spader <rspader@ambassadorbridge.com>
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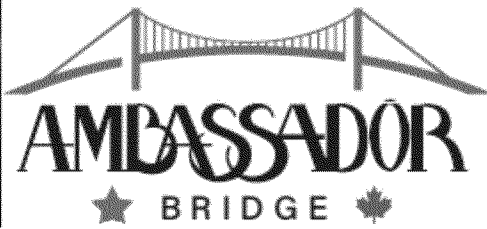
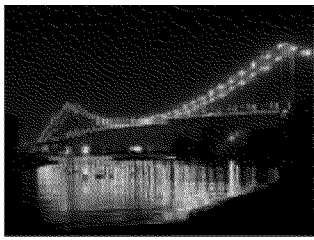
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Happy Monday Everyone,

We opened at approximately 11pm last night. Protesters were moved off Huron Church around 11am yesterday but many continued to arrive and tried to re-take Huron Church but law enforcement was able to keep them to the west and east of the main roadway. Over 25 arrested and at least 3 vehicles towed off Huron Church and many more from the side streets. They are putting barrier down to close off Huron Church Road to prevent access from the east and west. Still heavy police presents to prevent spur ups. What a week for us all!!! Anything happening in your areas?

Sincerely,
Randy Spader
General Manager / IT

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Sent: Saturday, February 12, 2022 10:12 AM

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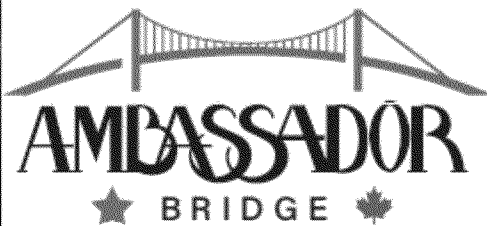
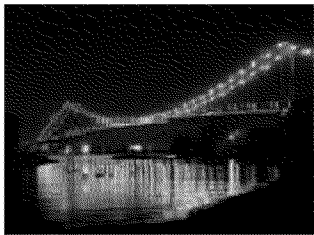
Subject: RE: Protest Update 2-12-22

Good Morning All,

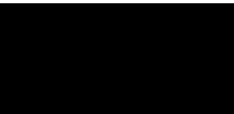
Update- At approximately 830am, Law Enforcement Agencies arrived on site and started to show their presence to all the protesters and we started to see some leave on their own. Tents are down but there are still vehicle and about 60 to 80 Protesters still blocking the roadway. The officers have formed a line in the sand with equipment and manpower to try and disburse the remaining protesters and their equipment. Everything has been peaceful up to this point. I will keep you updated and hoping to have this crossing back open very soon.

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Sent: Thursday, February 10, 2022 7:24 AM

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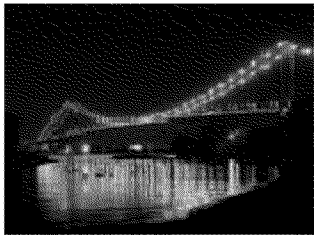
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Subject: RE: Protest Update 2-10-22

Good Morning Everyone,

Last night at approx.. 1130pm, protesters blocked access to our entrance to the US coming off of Wyandotte Street. This has closed all of my access to the US. OPP is now on site as the Mayor of Windsor asked for assistance from the providence yesterday. We are seeing a growth in protesters especially in the late afternoon into the evenings, as I believe these are protesters that have jobs and coming to support after. As we get closer to the weekend, I think we will see a large growth in numbers. As of now we are seeing 250+ protesters and approx. 100 vehicles either in the blockade or parked on the side. Plants are shutting down due to lack of supplies in Canada and the US as we all have heard. Any update in your areas?

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Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 7:42 AM
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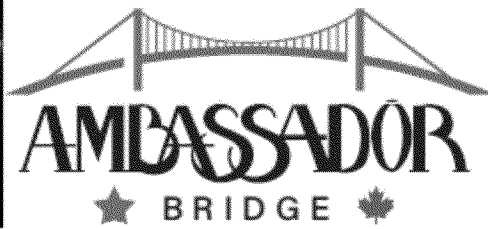
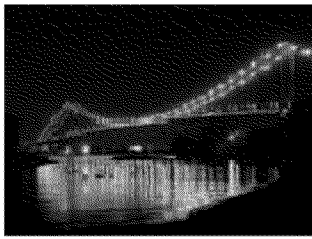
Good Morning Everyone,

At approximately 830pm, the protesters closed Northbound Huron Church off again. Currently North and Southbound Huron Church is blocked off. We still have access for US bound traffic using our Wyandotte Entrance for trucks and cars to us to enter the US. Canada bound is still closed Windsor Police is still looking for a negotiated resolution at this time. There is supposed to be an update from the mayor's office today. I will continue to update.

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From: Randy Spader

Sent: Tuesday, February 8, 2022 4:03 PM

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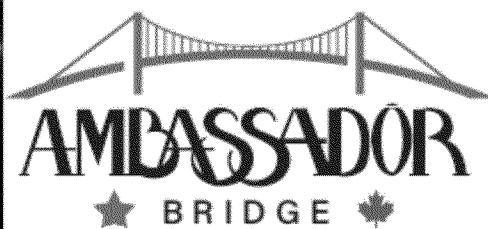
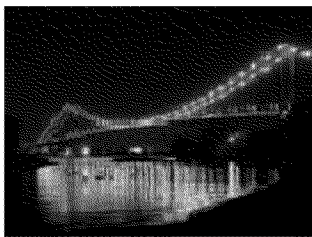
Subject: Protest Update 2-8-22

Protest 2-8-22

Currently the protesters have moved off of the Northbound lanes of Huron Church allowing full access to the bridge for US bound traffic. Canada bound is still closed at this time. Will continue to update if anything else changes.

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From: Randy Spader

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Subject: RE: Protest 2-7-2022 Update

Update from today. At approximately 1pm this afternoon, we had some different protesting groups show up that caused flow to stop going into Canada just south of College. Windsor PD could not work this these new groups which caused very slow movement between 130pm and 430pm by blocking all lanes leaving the bridge heading into Canada. By 5pm all lanes come to a stop. At this time we have diverted all Canada bound traffic to alternate crossings. These groups are staying in place and continue to block all lanes coming into Canada and we continue to divert traffic. North bound Huron Church is also being blocked for US bound traffic but our alternate entrance is still open at this time. Windsor Police is trying to connect with the leader of these new groups but have had very little luck finding these leaders. We continue monitoring and I will keep all updated.

From: Randy Spader

Sent: Monday, February 7, 2022 11:42 AM

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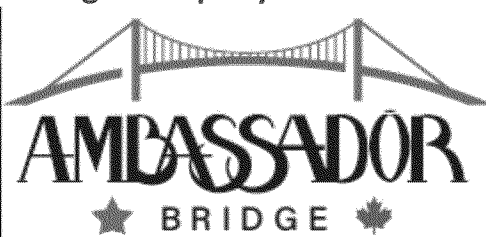
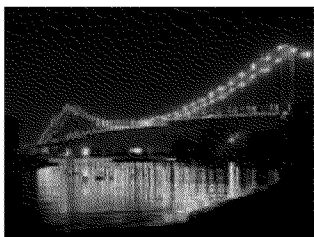
Subject: Protest 2-7-2022 Update

Good Afternoon Everyone,

I want to give everyone an update on the current status here at the Ambassador Bridge. We have about 100 cars/pickup trucks and a hand full of transport trucks that left their staging area around 1115am. Intel is stating they are going to continue a slow roll as they have been doing for the last couple of weeks. We are hearing some chatter on social about a blockade on streets around the bridge and will be monitoring their activity once on site along with any vehicle types that may be joining the protesters along the way. Windsor Police Services is actively engaged and are spread out to ensure the far left lane remains open for through traffic and emergency vehicles. Will keep everyone updated as the day goes on. Anything happening in your neck of the woods?

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